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- At the end of July 1952, the East China Military Area compiled statistics for troops allocated from East China to the Chinese Volunteer Army since 1 January 1952. The total was 127,000 men. Most were from units directly commanded by the East China Military Area, but 20,000 were members of the militia who volunteered.
- These troops came from military districts as follows:

Shantung:	28,500
Chekiang:	23,000
South Kiangsu:	18,500
North Kiangsu:	16,000
South Anhwei:	15,000
North Anhwei:	14,500
Fukien:	11,500
- Vacancies in troop units directly commanded by the East China Military Area were filled by troops from the militia.

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